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FEBRUARY 24 EDITION OF THE THE WEEKLY NEWSPAPER
"VOZ PROLETARIA", THE OFFICIAL ORGAN OF THE COMMUNIST
PARTY OF COLOMBIA, CARRIES A SHORT ARTICLE ENTITLED
"THE PEACE CORPS ARE POLICE". THE ARTICLE MENTIONS
THE FARC RAID ON LA MACARENA AND REPORTS THAT THEY
CARRIED OFF A GRINGO WHO IS SAID TO BE A
"SCIENTIST" (QUOTATION MARKS IN ORIGINAL). THE ARTICLE
COMMENTS THAT IT IS A KNOWN FACT THAT THE PEACE
CORPS ARE AGENTS OF THE YANKEE CIA DISGUISED AS
"SCIENTISTS". THE ARTICLE CONCLUDES BY ASKING: "WHAT
ARE THESE SO-CALLED SCIENTISTS DOING? WHAT ARE THEY
IVESTIGATING IN THESE REMOTE REGIONS OF
COLOMBIA?"
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